IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS Springfield Division

JOHN TYTULA,

Plaintiff,

v.

Civil Action No.: 05-30143-KPN

CONSOLIDATED RAIL CORPORATION and CSX TRANSPORTATION, INC.,
Defendants,

RULE 16(O)(3) CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that the Plaintiff, John Tytula, and his counsel, Thomas J. Joyce, III, Esquire and Michael J. McDevitt, Esquire, have conferred to establish a budget for the full litigation of the above-captioned matter as well as a budget for various alternative courses. John Tytula and his counsel have further discussed the resolution of the litigation through the use of Alternative Dispute Resolution programs, and mediation.

Respectfully Submitted,

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